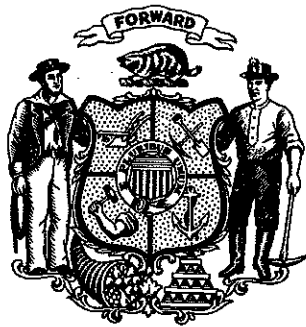


Comparative Summary of Budget Recommendations

Governor and Joint Committee on Finance



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INTRODUCTION

This document provides a summary of the 2007-09 state budget recommendations of the Governor and Joint Committee on Finance as contained in SB 40 and SSA 1 to SB 40, respectively.

The introductory portion of this document contains a Table of Contents, list of staff members of the Legislative Fiscal Bureau, Key to Abbreviations, User's Guide, and a list of the 2007-09 budget papers prepared by the Legislative Fiscal Bureau. This is followed by an "Overview" section which provides a series of tables which display 2007-09 revenues, appropriations and authorized position levels.

Following the summary information is a section which contains a description, for each state agency and program, of budget changes recommended by the Governor and Joint Committee on Finance. The agency summaries appear in alphabetical order and contain a funding and position table as well as a brief narrative description and corresponding fiscal effect, if any, of each budget provision.

The final section contains a list of the non-fiscal policy items that were contained within the Governor's original budget document but subsequently prepared for introduction as separate legislation. Those items are no longer a part of the budget and, with the exception of the list, are not included in this document.